manage our incredibly valuable national resource.

This is a good bill. It has no opposition and would take care of a longstanding problem. I would appreciate the support of all of my colleagues in making sure this is passed and signed into law.

Mr. INSLEE. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. CANNON. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Utah (Mr. CANNON) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 708.

The question was taken; and (twothirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. CANNON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material on the bills H.R. 408, H.R. 3062, and H.R.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Utah?

There was no objection.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed and on the questions postponed yesterday.

Votes will be taken in the following

H.R. 3108, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 2297, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 2998, by the yeas and nays;

House Resolution 355, by the yeas and navs; and

House Resolution 372, by the yeas and

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. The remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

#### PENSION FUNDING EQUITY ACT OF 2003

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of passage of the bill, H.R. 3108, on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the yeas and navs were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill. The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 397, nays 2, not voting 35, as follows:

### [Roll No. 535]

#### YEAS-397

Kirk

Kline

Kolbe

LaHood

Lantos

Leach

Lee Levin

Linder

Lowey

Lynch

Maiette

Maloney

Meehan

Mica

Moore Moran (KS)

Miller, George

Moran (VA)

Murphy

Murtha

Myrick

Nadler

Musgrave

Neal (MA)

Nethercutt

Neugebauer

Ney Northup

Norwood

Oberstar

Nunes

Nussle

Obey

Olver

Ortiz

Ose

Otter

Owens

Pallone

Pascrell

Pastor

Payne

Pearce

Pelosi

Pence Peterson (MN)

Petri

Pickering

Kennedy (RI) Kildee

Peterson (PA)

Paul

Oxlev

Osborne

Kleczka

Abercrombie

Ackerman

Aderholt

Alexander

Andrews

Bachus

Akin

Allen

Baca

Baird

Baker

Bass

Bell

Baldwin

Ballance

Ballenger

Barrett (SC)

Barton (TX)

Beauprez

Bereuter

Berman

Biggert

Bilirakis

Bishop (GA)

Bishop (NY)

Bishop (UT) Blackburn

Blumenauer

Blunt

Boehlert

Boehner

Bonilla

Bonner

Boozman

Boswell

Boucher

Bradley (NH)

Brady (PA)

Brady (TX)

Brown (OH)

Brown (SC)

Ginny

Burton (IN)

Burgess

Burns

Buyer

Cannon

Cantor

Capito

Capps

Capuano Cardin

Cardoza

Carter

Chabot

Chocola

Case

Clay Clyburn

Coble

Collins

Convers

Cooper

Cox Cramer

Crane

Cubin

Crenshaw

Crowley

Culberson

Cummings

Davis (AL)

Davis (CA)

Davis (IL)

Davis (TN)

Davis, Tom

Deal (GA)

DeFazio

DeGette

Delahunt

DeLauro

DeMint

Davis, Jo Ann

Cunningham

Costello

Carson (IN)

Carson (OK)

Brown, Corrine Brown-Waite,

Boyd

Berry

Bartlett (MD)

Deutsch Diaz-Balart, M. Dicks Dingell Doggett Dooley (CA) Doolittle Doyle Dreier Duncan Dunn Ehlers Emanuel Emerson Engel English Etheridge Evans Everett Farr Feeney Ferguson Filner Flake Forbes Ford Fossella Frank (MA) Franks (AZ) Frelinghuysen Frost Gallegly Garrett (NJ) Gerlach Gibbons Gillmor Gingrey Gonzalez Goode Gordon Goss Granger Graves Green (TX) Green (WI) Greenwood Grijalya Gutierrez Gutknecht Hall Harman Harris Hart Hastings (FL) Hastings (WA) Hayes Hayworth Hefley Hensarling Herger Hill Hinchey Hinojosa Hobson Hoeffel Hoekstra Holden Holt Honda Hostettler Hoyer Hulshof Hunter Hyde Inslee Isakson Israel Istook Jackson (IL) Jackson-Lee (TX) Janklow Jefferson Jenkins. John Johnson (CT) Johnson (IL) Johnson, E. B. Johnson, Sam Jones (NC) Kanjorski Keller Kelly Kennedy (MN)

Platts Pombo Pomeroy Kilpatrick Porter King (IA) Portman King (NY) Price (NC) Kingston Pryce (OH) Putnam Quinn Radanovich Knollenberg Rahall Ramstad Kucinich Regula Rehberg Lampson Renzi Langevin Reyes Reynolds Rodriguez Larsen (WA) Larson (CT) Rogers (AL) Latham LaTourette Rogers (KY) Rogers (MI) Rohrabacher Ros-Lehtinen Ross Lewis (CA) Rothman Lewis (GA) Lewis (KY) Rovbal-Allard Royce Ruppersberger Lipinski LoBiondo Rush Ryan (OH) Ryan (WI) Lucas (KY) Rvun (KS) Lucas (OK) Sabo Sanchez, Linda T. Sanchez, Loretta Manzullo Sandlin Markey Marshall Matheson Sanders McCarthy (MO) McCarthy (NY) McCollum Berkley McCotter Bono Calvert McCrery McDermott Castle McGovern Davis (FL) McHugh DeLay McInnis Diaz-Balart, L. McIntyre Edwards Eshoo McNulty Fattah Fletcher Meek (FL) Foley Menendez Michaud Miller (FL) Miller (MI) Miller (NC) Miller Gary

Terry Saxton Schakowsky Thomas Schiff Thompson (CA) Schrock Thompson (MS) Scott (GA) Thornberry Scott (VA) Tiahrt. Sensenbrenner Tiberi Serrano Tierney Sessions Toomey Shadegg Towns Shays Turner (OH) Sherman Turner (TX) Sherwood Udall (CO) Shimkus Udall (NM) Shuster Van Hollen Simmons Simpson Velazquez Skelton Visclosky Walsh Slaughter Smith (MI) Wamp Smith (N.I) Waters Smith (TX) Watt Smith (WA) Waxman Snyder Weiner Souder Weldon (FL) Spratt Weldon (PA) Stark Weller Stearns Wexler Stenholm Whitfield Strickland Wicker Stupak Wilson (NM) Sullivan Wilson (SC) Sweenev Tancredo Wolf Wu Tanner Tauscher Wynn Young (AK) Tauzin Taylor (NC) Young (FL) NAYS-2 Taylor (MS)

# NOT VOTING-35

Gephardt Millender-McDonald Gilchrest Mollohan Goodlatte Hooley (OR) Napolitano Rangel Shaw Houghton Issa Jones (OH) Solis Kaptur Kind Unton Vitter Lofgren Walden (OR) Matsui Watson Meeks (NY) Woolsey

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr.

SIMPSON) (during the vote). Members are advised that there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

Messrs. SIMMONS, STARK, CAMP and GREENWOOD changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Ms. SOLIS. Mr. Speaker, during rollcall vote No. 535 on H.R. 3108, the Pension Funding Equity Act, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the remainder of this series will be conducted as 5minute votes.

## VETERANS BENEFITS ACT OF 2003

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2297, as amended.